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SUBJ: HOST COUNTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY INSURANCE

REF: STATE 189095

A. YES, THIRD PARTY LIABILITY.

B. NO MINIMUM.

C. HOST GOVERNMENT WILL NOT ISSUE VEHICLE REGISTRATION UNLESS
INSURANCE COVERAGE HAS BEEN PROVIDED FOR. INSURANCE IS FOR ONE YEAR
COVERAGE ONLY. NO MEANS OF ENFORCEMENT EXISTS AFTER FIRST YEAR.

D. YES, ALL MEMBERS CARRY INSURANCE FOR FIRST YEAR AS PRESCRIBED (C)
ABOVE. SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE IS EMPLOYEE RESPONSIBILITY.

E. NO CLEAR ANSWER PROVIDED BY HOST GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES. BANG-
LADESH IS NOT A SIGNATORY OF VIENNA CONVENTION. PRESENTLY, WHEN A
PLAINTIFF MAKES A CLAIM, BOTH THE INSURED PARTY AND INSURING COMPANY
BECOME DIRECTLY INVOLVED IN THE SUIT. THEREFORE, THE INSURING COMPAN
Y
MAY BECOME LIABLE IN LEGAL ACTION FOR COMPENSATION PAYMENT TO PLANIN-
TIFF.

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F. ACCORDING TO POLICY CONTRACT, IT IS INCUMBENT ON THE INSURANCE
COMPANY TO COME TO THE DEFENSE OF THE INSURED PARTY.

G. POST EXPERIENCE IS THAT SUCH CLAIMS ARE SETTLED OUTSIDE OF COURT
THROUGH MUTUAL UNDERSTANDINGS OF ALL PARTIES CONCERNED. IF THIS
EFFORT FAILS, THE CASE WOULD GO TO COURT FOR SETTLEMENT. THE

FOREIGN MINISTRY IS UNABLE TO PROVIDE ANY CLEAR GUIDANCE ON THIS AT THIS TIME. NO CLEAR HISTORY OF SUCH CASES HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED AND NO CONSISTENT PATTERN OF TREATMENT HAS EVOLVED.

H. YES. HOST STATE DOES NOT PROVIDE ANY ASSISTANCE.

I. NO, ALL INSURED PARTIES PAY SAME PREMIUM RATES.

J. NO.

K. NO.

L. IF A DIPLOMAT CAUSES AN ACCIDENT, HIS LIABILITY IS GOVERNED BY THE TERMS OF THE INSURANCE CONTRACT.

M. YES, EMBASSY'S INSURANCE COMPANY (THE ONLY COMPANY - A GOVERNMENT MONOPOLY) ADVISES NOT AWARE OF ANY INCIDENTS WHERE COMPENSATION HAS BEEN INADEQUATE. EMBASSY NOTE: IN PRACTICE THE AMOUNT OF COMPENSATION IS A FUNCTION OF THE (ECONOMIC) CLASS OF THE PLAINTIFF.

N. NOT FROM HOST GOVERNMENT, ITS INSURANCE COMPANY PROVIDES COMPENSATION.
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